Amendment to the Specification:

On the first page of the application, amend paragraph number [0005] as follows:

"Message Sequencing For Ordered Multicasting Of A Message Across A Routing Network," by Banavar et al., serial no. 09/280,530, filed March 30, 1999, (attorney docket no. Y0998-526) U.S. Patent No. 6,760,340 B1, issued July 6, 2004; and

On the first page of the application, amend paragraph number [0006] as follows:

"Quiescent Reconfiguration Of A Routing Network", by Miller et al., serial no. 09/282,101, filed March 30, 1999, (attorney docket no. YO999-527) U.S. Patent No. 6,907,011 B1, issued June 14, 2005.